SENATE BILL 556

By Norris

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 6, Chapter 54 and Title 55, Chapter 8, relative to the operation of golf carts on certain designated municipal streets.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 55, Chapter 8, is amended by adding the following language as a new, appropriately designated section:

Section ____. A municipal legislative body may, upon the adoption of an ordinance, designate specific streets within the municipality on which golf carts, as defined by § 55-1-123 may be operated. In selecting streets for such designation, the legislative body shall make a determination that the operation of golf carts on the designated streets would not hinder or be a danger to motor vehicles traveling upon such streets. The legislative body may require a valid driver license for the operation of a golf cart on such streets.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring

it.